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REQUEST FOR FIVE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Commissioner for Patents Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicants herewith request a five-month extension of time to respond to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional application dated August 9, 2004.

Enclosed please find a check to cover the five-month extension of time, which is being submitted on March 9, 2005.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR §1.16 and §1.17 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 03-1664. This, however, is not authorization to pay the issue fee.

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